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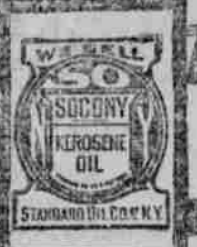
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Saturday, Oct. 28, is the thirtieth anniversary of the dedication of the Bartholdi statue of Liberty in New York harbor. This wonderful statue, which was presented to this country by the people of France, is the most notable and striking feature of New York harbor and particularly for those from foreign lands who come here for the first time. It is now proposed that the statue be flooded with electric lights at night so as to be equally visible either night or day. People all over the country are invited to contribute a dime or a quarter toward the \$30,000 fund that is needed and already a larger part of the money is raised. With the modern use of searchlights the statue can be made to stand out against the dark background of night with even greater force than it dominates the harbor by daylight.

When as good a theatrical attraction as "Fair and Warner" gets only a scattering audience in a town the size of Bennington it indicates that something has happened to this line of business. The truth probably is that it cannot compete with the low prices of the moving picture plays. The people who get an evening's entertainment for ten cents might prefer to see a real play, but are not anxious enough to do so to pay the difference in price. Possibly in the big cities there are enough people who prefer the legitimate drama to keep theaters open at the old bill of prices, but in the country towns the only thing that will save the business is a great reduction in prices. The American people are notably extravagant and in the palmy days of the theatrical business the salaries paid and the other expenses were pushed up to a figure that prevented the operators of theaters in small towns making any money and these operators naturally welcomed the moving pictures as a substitute. Whenever the powers in the theatrical world get ready to put out first class legitimate attractions at moderate prices and are willing to let the small town theaters share in the profits the business can be again made successful.

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Ottawa, Ont.—Canada is taking active steps to raise an additional 100,000 recruits in order to bring its enlistments to the 500,000 quota promised Great Britain.

The arrangements made in connection with the recruiting campaign now under way includes the employment of women in the place of men in many industries. With this in view a labor census will be taken in each military district of the Dominion. In every case where it is found that women can take the places of men the latter will be called upon to enlist if they come within the prescribed age limit.

Badges will be issued to discharged soldiers to the men physically unfit and to those who are deemed more valuable in their present employment than in the trenches.

An additional service board has been authorized, with Sir Robert Tait as director general. It will be the duty of this board to stimulate voluntary enlistments.

Canada has already supplied 400,000 men.

He Fixed It.

The wife of a well known Broadway press agent was complaining the other evening because she had to wash the dinner dishes.

"Woman always gets the worst of marriage," she said. "This housework is destroying my good looks. I think the old time is right."

"What old time?" asked her husband.

"It goes like this: Husbands and cooks, husbands and cooks, when a girl marries she loses her looks."

"You haven't got it right," he replied.

"It ought to go like this: Husbands and cooks, husbands and cooks, when a girl marries she leaves off her looks."

—New York World.

Applly Described.

"I have been courting her for two years," said the disconsolate one, "and I am certain that she will refuse me when I propose."

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NEW WINDOW TREATMENT.

Suggestions For Renewing Your Curtains After Housecleaning.

New window treatment gives opportunity to make the most of curtains—those charming drapery stuff for summer rooms. There are long side curtains from rod to sill, made of dyed cretonne lined with tinted satin in the usual manner. These hang from a brass rod, which, instead of going straight across the window, follows in a curve at the center, where the valance is attached over it. This valance is very full and is in two portions, each section six inches deep at the center of the window and ten inches deep in the outer side, where it meets the side curtains. Cords are run through the lower edges of the section and left unfastened, to be pulled up when the valance is a United.

When curtains and valance have been shifted to the pole and the pole set in place over the window, the outer lower corners of the valance are tucked to the side curtains under rosettes of the cretonne. The edges at the center where the valance is divided and only six inches deep, are tucked together. Next the cords are drawn up toward the center, tied and tucked out of sight. This draws up the sloping edges of the valance in a pocket of feet, and the drawn up valance brings forward the side curtain at the point of the rosette. The whole effect is dainty and graceful and suggestive of a French boudoir. Shades of the cretonne instead of ordinary window shades will complete a charming window treatment.

For the Chinese room or any other room where black and white is desirable for background effects, there is a new window curtain material of woven black and white checks in very open effect, like coarse net. Graduated black stripes in clusters cross the fabric, and smart looking curtains are arranged so that the black stripes come directly across valance and side curtains about six inches from the top of the window.

To Be Well Groomed.

The woman who is particular about her home is not always the best dressed, and it often happens that a woman whose home is untidy looks stunted in her street clothes. The points in dress that most women overlook are veils, gloves, hats and handkerchiefs.

Be sure that your glove is properly proportioned, and when you decide on a well fitting style buy no other. Beat a little powder into your glove before you wear it, and smooth all the seams straight. Have the lines on the hands and the fingers in the tips of the glove. Keep your hats in their boxes until you wish to use them, and return them at once when you take them off. Always brush them, especially if they are made of black velvet or a dark material that shows the dust. Never carry a rolled or even crumpled handkerchief. It is only a little thing, but it is the little things that help to ward complete beauty.

The present week of seven days, without reference to solar or lunar cycles, was adopted by the Egyptian astronomers something more than 3,600 years ago.

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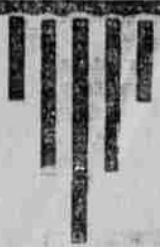
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